

CALIFORNIA POSTSECONDARY EDUCATION COMMISSION

MEETING AGENDA FOR TUESDAY, January 15, 2002 Alan S. Arkatov, *Chair*Carol Chandler, *Vice Chair*Warren Halsey Fox, *Executive Director*

Please note: The meeting adjournment time is approximate and is subject to the length of discussion.

TUESDAY

FISCAL POLICY AND ANALYSIS COMMITTEE

Olivia K. Singh, *Chair*Susan Hammer, *Vice Chair*(Additional Committee appointments are pending)

Alan S. Arkatov, ex officio Carol Chandler, ex officio

JANUARY 15, 2002

9:00 a.m.

Roll Call

2002-2003 Higher Education Budget

The Fiscal Policy and Analysis Committee will meet for the purpose of discussing State funding for higher education in California for the 2002-2003 fiscal year. Of particular concern are potential budget cuts and their impact on access to educational opportunities for California's college students. Representatives from the California Community Colleges, the California State University, the University of California, and the California Student Aid Commission are invited to discuss the impact of the potential budget cuts on their respective systems. Higher education representatives have been asked to discuss the following questions:

- If budget reductions occur, what are your plans for ensuring that all eligible students continue to have access to the programs you offer?
- What are your plans for student fees, student financial aid funding, and for ensuring the general affordability of California higher education?
- What efforts will be undertaken to preserve the quality of the programs you offer?
- What areas and/or programs would be most vulnerable if budget reductions are imposed?
- What are your plans for the intersegmental programs funded in your organization's budget? Are they more vulnerable to potential reductions than other institutional programs and initiatives?
- How can the Postsecondary Education Commission be most helpful in terms of budgetary matters?

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3:30 p.m.

Adjournment

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